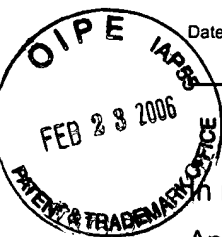


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In re PATENT application of:

Applicant: Essenreiter et al.

Serial No.: 10/661,834

Filing date: September 12, 2003

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USING ORIGINAL, TWO-DIMENSIONAL
X-RAY IMAGES

Examiner: John Fernando Ramirez

Art Unit: 3737

Docket No. SCHWP0180USA

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Petition hereby is made for an extension of time to respond to the Office communication mailed on
October 19, 2005 for a period of:

Number of months (put an "X" in box)	X	One	\$120	\$120.00
		Two	\$450	\$0.00
		Three	\$1,020	\$0.00
		Four	\$1,590	\$0.00
		Five	\$2,160	\$0.00
Extension Fee (large entity)				\$120.00
Small Entity Status claimed (put an "X" in box)		Extension Fee (small entity)		\$0.00
less amount paid previously for earlier extension of same deadline				\$0.00
Payment due				\$120.00

Fee Payment: ☐ Attached is a check covering the fee.
☒ Credit card payment form is attached.
☐ Charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 18-0988, under the above-shown docket number.

If any additional extension of time for the accompanying response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required by this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0988 under the above-shown docket number.

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